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| BACHMAN Form 4 May 04, 2010 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| (Print or Type F | Responses) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BACHMANN JOHN W Symbol | | | r Name and Ticker or Trading ANTO CO /NEW/ [MON] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | | |
| | | | f Earliest Transaction | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| (Month/ | | | | /Day/Year) /2010 | | | | X Director Officer (give to below) | ive title 10% Owner Other (specify below) | | | |
| | | | endment, Date Original onth/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(CheckApplicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| ST. LOUIS, | MO 63167 | | | | | | | Form filed by M Person | ore than One Re | porting | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed of | , or Beneficial | ly Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year | r) Execution any | | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V | (Instr. 3, | spose | d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/30/2010 | | | A | 112 <u>(1)</u> | . / | \$ 63.06 | 41,003 | D | | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, | | ; | | 7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr. | int of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | Code V | 4, and 5 (A) (E |)] | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | | |
| BACHMANN JOHN W 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167 | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | | |
| Jennifer L. Woods, Attorney-in-Fact | | 05/04/2010 |) | | | | | | |

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Represents dividend equivalents with respect to shares of deferred common stock deliverable upon termination as a director under the Monsanto Company Non-Employee Director Equity Incentive Compensation Plan. Shares of stock are credited in the form of

(1) hypothetical shares to a stock unit account in installments on the last day of each plan month during the director's term and for the payment of dividends. Shares of deferred stock not credited to the stock unit account because of termination as a director before the end of the director's term are forfeited.

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